

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



**FISCAL MEMORANDUM**

**HB 1480 – SB 1774**

March 24, 2014

**SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL:** Broadens the exception to unlawful carrying or possessing of a firearm in public when a person is carrying or possessing a firearm in a motor vehicle and such person is not otherwise prohibited from carrying or possessing a firearm and the motor vehicle is privately-owned.

**CORRECTED FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:**

NOT SIGNIFICANT

**SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (014982):** Deletes all language after the enacting clause. Broadens the exception to unlawful carrying or possessing of a firearm, when a person is carrying or possessing a firearm or firearm ammunition in a motor vehicle, and such person is not prohibited from possessing or receiving a firearm pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 922(g), or from purchasing a firearm pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 39-17-1316, and the person is in lawful possession of the motor vehicle. For the purpose of the bill as amended, defines the term “motor vehicle”. Effective July 1, 2014.

**FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:**

**Unchanged from the corrected fiscal note.**

Assumptions for the bill as amended:

- According to DOS, the fiscal impact for the bill as amended is estimated to be not significant.
- Based on information provided by the Administrative Office of the Courts, any net change in the number of cases occurring as a result of this bill is considered not significant.
- Any net change in fine revenue is considered not significant.

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**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lucian D. Geise". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Lucian" written in a larger, more prominent script than the last name "Geise".

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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